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To whom it may concern:

I was very upset to hear that this would even be an issue. Of course the public has a right to make an informed decision regarding food choices and what goes into them. I am not surprised, as large companies will always, it seems, have profit as their number one goal. Public awareness and information campaigns will only increase in the future, and you will not, in the end, succeed. I always have to ask myself how these folks, however small their voice in the company, live with themselves knowing they are making money off of possible harm to a large number of people.

It is no wonder to me that kids all over the country are so confused and lost that they shoot each other in schools, when the message that is sent to them is that we don't care, only profits matter... This was the case in HI recently when CocaCola bought their way in to our schools here. They will now be selling caffeinated beverages in the schools. Hurrah! What a great victory for them. Behavior problems will increase for us. Hurray!

Thanks for caring about others. I wonder if our schools will soon have a shoot out too?

Incredibly angry,
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